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## FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT NOTIFICATION

The 29th August 2024

**S.R.O. No. 479/2024**—Whereas, Forest Block Maricha Reserve Forest under the provisions of Section 9 of the Mayurbhanj Forest Act has been notified by Government of Maharaja of Mayurbhanj Notification No. F/G/9/2823, dated the 21st June 1945 indicating an area of 60 Ac in Karanja Forest Range of Karanja Forest Division, as per Annexure-I;

And whereas, the Government of Odisha in the Forest & Environment Department have notified a "Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for geo-referencing of Forest Block boundary through DGPS Survey" in the *Odisha Gazette* vide Notification No. 22572400112016-10F(Cons.)-77/2016/14097-F&E, dated the 4th July 2017, for preparation of such geo-referenced forest maps in pursuance of the directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court in their order, dated the 6th July 2011 [in IA Nos. 1868, 2091, 2225–2227, 2380, 2568 and 2937 in Writ Petition (C) No. 202 of 1995-Lafarge matter];

And whereas, the Government of Odisha have appointed all Tehsildars in their respective Tehsil jurisdiction in the respective Districts as Forest Settlement Officer (FSO) vide Notification No. 7767–10F(TR)-38/2020-F&E, dated the 21st May 2020;

And whereas, the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee has jointly verified and confirmed the boundary pillar positions as per report in Annexure-II;

And whereas, the Forest Settlement Officer has certified 'No Change' in the boundary extent of Maricha Reserve Forest post 25th October 1980. The DGPS survey boundary co-ordinates have been verified by ORSAC and certified by the Forest Settlement Officer. The computed area (UTM Zone 45 N projection and WGS 84 datum) of the Maricha Reserve Forest is 21.83 ha or 53.94 Ac. The change in area is due to old Survey techniques and boundary in some parts might have under change because of village settlements.

Therefore, it has been decided to supplement the existing notification of the Maricha Reserve Forest with the above- mentioned FSO certified DGPS surveyed Forest Block map as per

Annexure-III, and the statement of geo-co-ordinates of the Forest Block boundary pillar positions as per Annexure-IV, which shall be treated as the precise boundary description of the Maricha Reserve Forest and shall from an integral part of the original notification in place of any other form of boundary description notified earlier.

There shall be no change to the admitted rights in the original notification.

[No. 16241—FE-DIV-MISC-0011/2016-10F(Cons.)-34/2020-FE&CC.]

By order of the Governor

SATYABRATA SAHU

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

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## PART I-A.

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Rules, Notifications, etc. issued under the authority of the Maharaja or the Dewan.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

The 21st June, 1945.

No. F/G/9/2823.—Under the provisions of Section 9 of the Mayurbhanj Forest Act, the Government of MaharaJa of Mayurbhanj are hereby pleased to declare that the areas specified below which in Notification No. mentioned against each were proposed to be reserve forests, shall be reserved forest with effect from the date of this Notification.

1. Nakuda Pir, Jashipur Perghua, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G/5/2099 Dated 3.7.1944).

	Acre	Acres	
1. Godidihā	82	9. Malarpada	68
2. San Badapost	50	10. Biuria	365
3. Bala	6	11. Toto	260
4. Chanchabani	15	12. Matmundi	369
5. Salarapada	22	13. Dar No. 2	128
6. Kujja	31	14. Purunadeogan	169
7. Sialinal	21	15. Du-nurta	487
8. Raghpat	5	16. Motta	703

	Acres	Acres	
17. Dari No. 1	49	27. Kudarbisia	✓
18. Stromontipur	275	No. 1	78
19. Paoposi	84	28. Kudarbisia	✓
20. Khandbundh	85	No. 2	892
21. Barazai	58	29. Ruguri No. 1	48
+22. Sannal	23	30. Ruguri No. 2	90
23. Kaita	412	31. Palasagadia	✓
24. Pantho	440	No. 1	84
25. Musinabila	194	32. Palasagadia	✓
26. Beguni	268	No. 2	40
		33. Kadodihā	223
		Total	8,165
		2. Dhanyantri Pergana, Panchpir Sub-division (Notification No. F/G/5/2040 D/3. 7. 1944)	

	Acres	Acres	
1. Maricha	60	8. Sankesori	✓
2. Hindola	59	No. 1	45
3. Chheliānali	✓	9. Sankesori	✓
No. 1	26	No. 2	96
4. Chholianali	✓	10. Budamara	22
No. 2	86	11. Fulcom	107
5. Saraspot	268	12. Panpatra	3,800
6. Sagada No. 1	45	13. Gompharia	✓
7. Sagada No. 2	92	No. 1	36
		14. Gompharia	✓
		No. 2	35

**FOREST REVENUE JOINT VERIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT****Forest Division:** Karanjia**Forest Range:** Karanjia**Minutes of Joint Verification:**

List of participation of the Forest – Revenue joint verification committee is given at Table 1.

Joint Verification of the boundary of **Maricha Reserve Forest** Block was carried out during 22-01-2020 to 27-01-2020. Existing pillar position recorded through GPS were plotted and compared against geo-referenced cadastral maps of adjoining villages. The verified forest boundary map is enclosed at Plate-1. Findings of the verification w.r.t. revenue cadastral is given below:

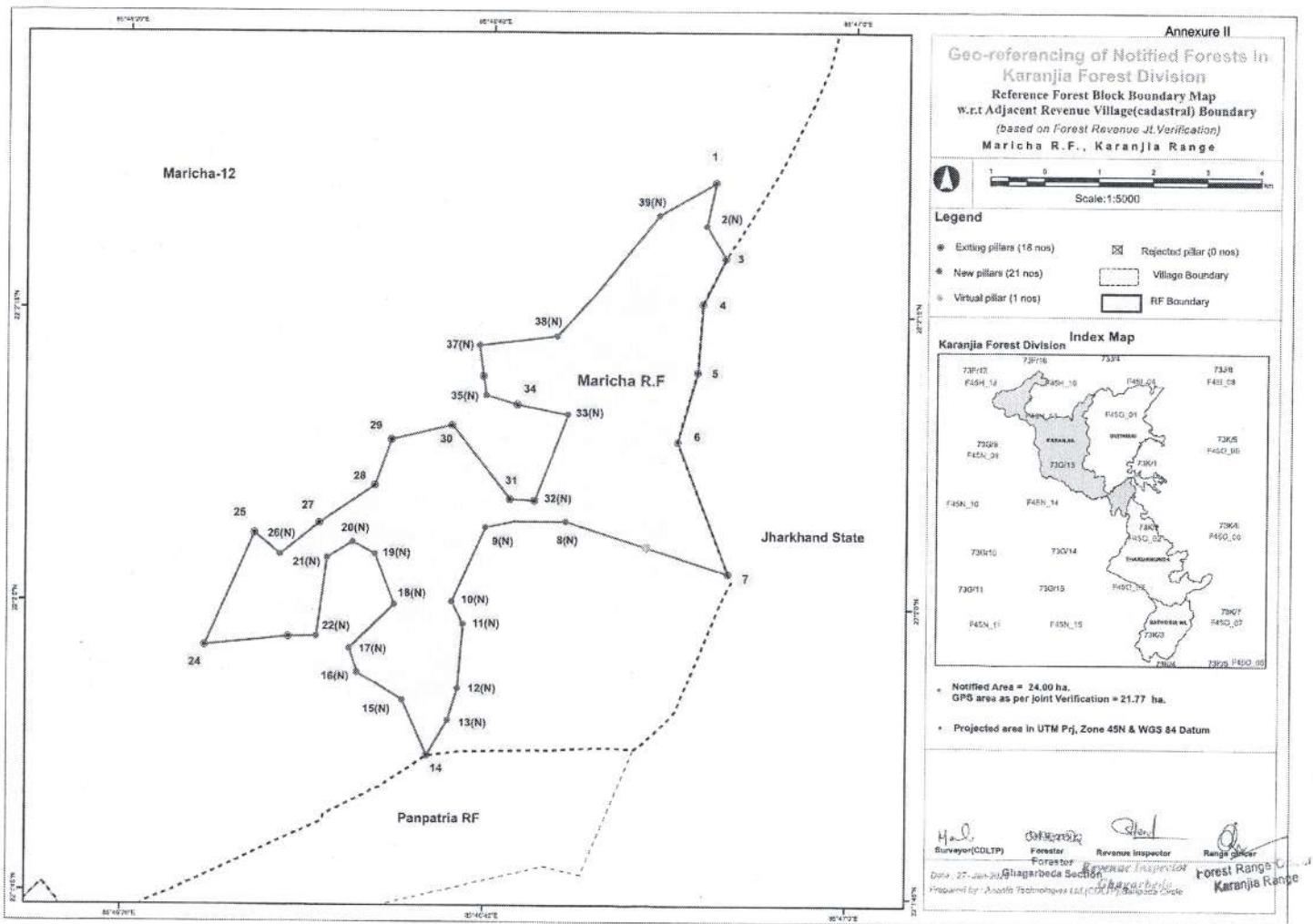
- Name of notified forest block: Maricha Reserve Forest
- Notification no. & date: F/G/9/2823 Dt. 21-06-1945
- Area as per notification: 60.00 Ac / 24.00 Ha.
- Existing no. of boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 18 nos. (Annexure -1)
- New boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 21nos. (Annexure -2)
- GPS area of verified boundary: 21.77 Ha.
- GPS perimeter of verified boundary: 3.86 km

**Observations:**

Notification is available (Boundary & Chain age bearing is not available) and Traverse map is enclosed at Appendix-1 & Appendix-2. The verified boundary approximately matching with MMV, and NFA more than CMA. Forest boundary demarcations pillars are in conformity with CMA, Existing pillars and HRSI. Change in area may be due to projection system and survey techniques. Since all peripheral settlements have occurred prior to 1980. There is no implication under FC Act.

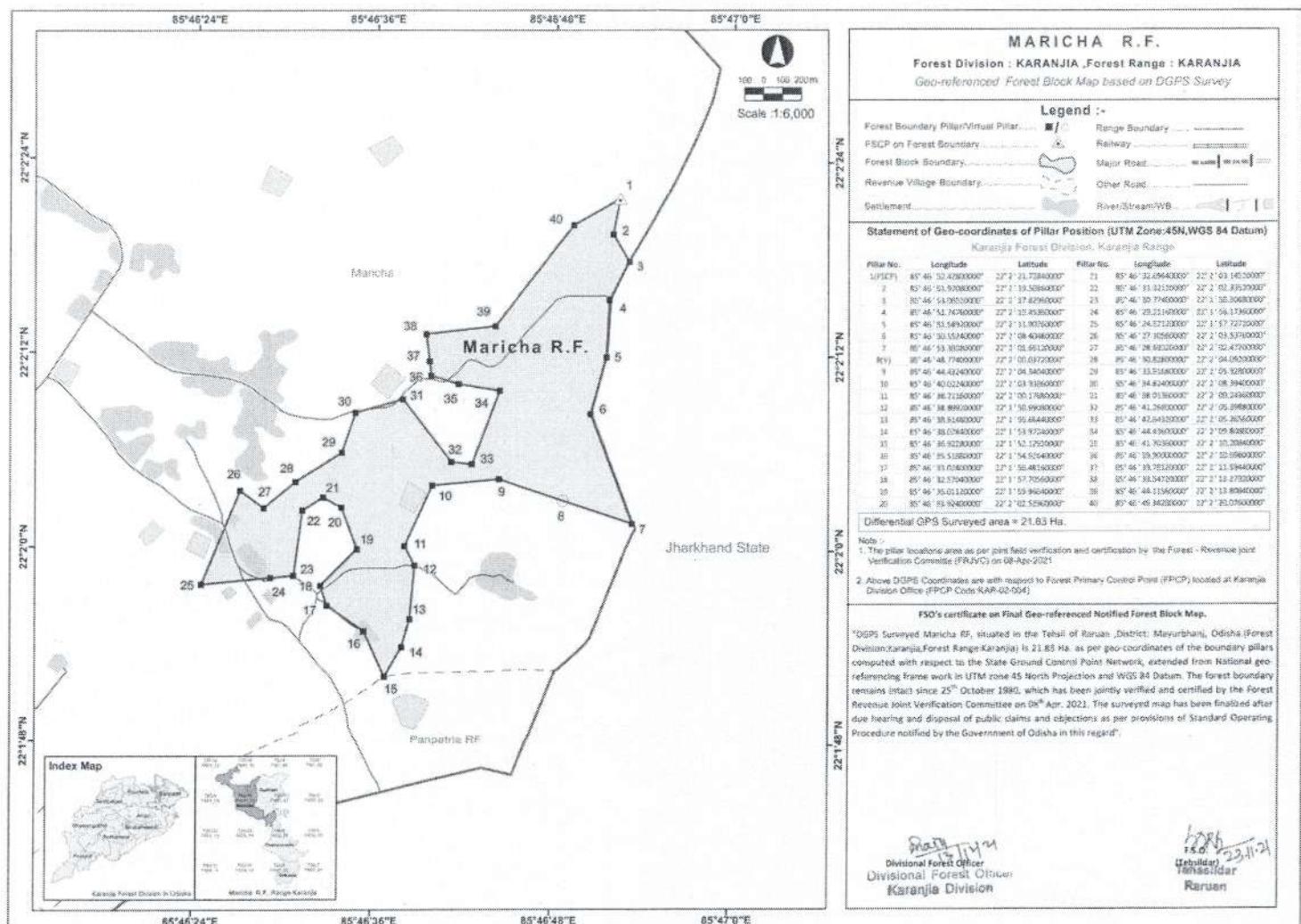
TABLE - 1

Forest and Revenue department officials(RO/FR/FG/RI/Amin) and TP involved in Joint verification of Forest Boundary		
Name	Designation	Signature
Mohan Ch. Marandi CRO/RO/RD/RO/RO	Survey Engg (ATL) Forester	Marandi Forest Officer Ghagarbeda Section
Prabir Kumar Murmu	Forest Range Officer Karanjia Range	Forest Range Officer Karanjia Range
Salkhan Hembram.	Revenue Inspector Ghagarbeda	Open Revenue Inspector Ghagarbeda
Smt. Susmita Mohanta	Forest Guard Ghagarbeda beat	Susmita Mohanta
<u>Counter Signed by:</u>		
Tahsildar TAHASHI RARUAN		
		P. N. Deo Divisional Forest Officer Karanjia Range



## FSO Certified DGPS Surveyed Frost Block Map

Annexure III



**STATEMENT OF GEO-COORDINATES OF PILLAR POSITIONS**

Forest Division: **Karanjia** Forest Range : **Karanjia** Forest Block Name: **Maricha RF**

**Ground Control Point (GCP) References. (All coordinates in WGS84 datum & UTM Zone 45 projection)**

GCP Type	GCP Location	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
FPCP	Karanjia Range Office	21°47'21.034356"	86°08'36.672648"	21.78917621	86.14352018
FSCP1	Maricha RF , Pillar No- 1	22°02'21.728400"	85°46'52.428000"	22.03936900	85.78123000

**Geo-coordinates of Boundary Pillar Position (Total: 40 nos.)**

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
1	22°02'21.728400"	85°46'52.428000"	22.03936900	85.78123000
2	22°02'19.503600"	85°46'51.970800"	22.03875100	85.78110300
3	22°02'17.829600"	85°46'53.065200"	22.03828600	85.78140700
4	22°02'15.453600"	85°46'51.747600"	22.03762600	85.78104100
5	22°02'11.907600"	85°46'51.589200"	22.03664100	85.78099700
6	22°02'8.404800"	85°46'50.552400"	22.03566800	85.78070900
7	22°02'1.651200"	85°46'53.392800"	22.03379200	85.78149800
8	22°02'3.037200"	85°46'48.774000"	22.03417700	85.78021500
9	22°02'4.340400"	85°46'44.432400"	22.03453900	85.77900900
10	22°02'3.933600"	85°46'40.022400"	22.03442600	85.77778400
11	22°02'0.178800"	85°46'38.211600"	22.03338300	85.77728100
12	22°01'58.990800"	85°46'38.899200"	22.03305300	85.77747200
13	22°01'55.664400"	85°46'38.614800"	22.03212900	85.77739300
14	22°01'53.972400"	85°46'38.078400"	22.03165900	85.77724400
15	22°01'52.129200"	85°46'36.922800"	22.03114700	85.77692300
16	22°01'54.926400"	85°46'35.518800"	22.03192400	85.77653300
17	22°01'56.481600"	85°46'33.024000"	22.03235600	85.77584000
18	22°01'57.705600"	85°46'32.570400"	22.03269600	85.77571400
19	22°01'59.966400"	85°46'35.011200"	22.03332400	85.77639200
20	22°02'2.529600"	85°46'33.924000"	22.03403600	85.77609000
21	22°02'3.145200"	85°46'32.696400"	22.03420700	85.77574900
22	22°02'2.335200"	85°46'31.321200"	22.03398200	85.77536700
23	22°01'58.306800"	85°46'30.774000"	22.03286300	85.77521500
24	22°01'58.173600"	85°46'29.211600"	22.03282600	85.77478100
25	22°01'57.727200"	85°46'24.571200"	22.03270200	85.77349200
26	22°02'3.537600"	85°46'27.105600"	22.03431600	85.77419600
27	22°02'2.472000"	85°46'28.693200"	22.03402000	85.77463700
28	22°02'4.092000"	85°46'30.828000"	22.03447000	85.77523000
29	22°02'5.928000"	85°46'33.916800"	22.03498000	85.77608800
30	22°02'8.394000"	85°46'34.824000"	22.03566500	85.77634000
31	22°02'9.243600"	85°46'38.013600"	22.03590100	85.77722600
32	22°02'5.398800"	85°46'41.268000"	22.03483300	85.77813000
33	22°02'5.265600"	85°46'42.643200"	22.03479600	85.77851200
34	22°02'9.808800"	85°46'44.436000"	22.03605800	85.77901000

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
35	22°02'10.208400"	85°46'41.703600"	22.03616900	85.77825100
36	22°02'10.698000"	85°46'39.900000"	22.03630500	85.77775000
37	22°02'11.594400"	85°46'39.781200"	22.03655400	85.77771700
38	22°02'13.279200"	85°46'39.547200"	22.03702200	85.77765200
39	22°02'13.808400"	85°46'44.115600"	22.03716900	85.77892100
40	22°02'20.076000"	85°46'49.342800"	22.03891000	85.78037300

\*\*\* END of Statement\*\*\*